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SUBJECT: RHODESIAN RAID INTO MOZAMBIQUE

1. NOTICIAS AUGUST 11 REPORTED THAT RHODESPAN FORCES HAD "ONCE AGAIN" ATTACKED TARGET INSIDE MOZAMBIQUE. ARTICLE STATED THAT ATTACK OCCURRED SOUTH OF VILA DD MANICA BUT GAVE NO DETAILS OF CASUALTIES OR DESTRUCTION. PAPER ASSERTED THAT LATEST RHODESIAN RAID WAS IN RETALIATION FOR SUCCESSFUL ATTACK MADE BY ZIMBABWEAN GUERRILLAS ON RHODESIAN MILITARY BASE LAST WEEK.

2. COMMENT: IN PAST MOZAMBIQUE AUTHORITIES HAVE BEEN SLOW TO ANNOUNCE SERIOUS BORDER INCURSIONS. WIDESPREAD INTERNATIONAL PUBLICITY BEING ACCORDED THIS ATTACK MAY HAVE PROMPTED THIS UNOFFICIAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENT. HOWEVER, IF MOST RECENT ATTACK IS OF MAGNITUDE CLAIMED BY RHODESIANS, TENSION ALONG BORDER COULD RISE SHARPLY. DE PREE

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